(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Punjab	20.1	18 0	180 0	155 0
Rajasthan	24.0	30 0	690.0	800.0
Sikkim	51.5	54.0	3 0	3.0
Tamil Nadu	700.0	600.0	360 0	360.0
Tripura	150 5	167 0	30 0	30 0
Uttar Pradesh	600.0	635.0	540 0	600 0
West Bengal	1500.0	1500.0	1512.0	1512.0
A & N Islands	12 0	12.0	8.4	8 4
Chandigarh	4.4	6 0	21.6	21 6
D&N Haveli	1.6	2.3	0 5	1 1
Delhi	300.0	300 0	584 0	600 0
Daman & Diu	..	2.3	..	0 5
Lakshadweep	5 5	5.5	0.1	0.1
Pondicherry	25 2	23.0	3 2	3.6

T.V. Transmitters in the Country

461. SHRI D. B. CHANDRE GOWDA: Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to increase the number of Television transmitters by the end of the Seventh Five Year Plan and to introduce 100 Frequency Modulation (FM) radio Stations in the next two years;

(b) if so, whether a large number of existing LPTs are likely to be converted into HPTs;

(c) the names of the places where HPTs are likely to be set up during the Seventh Plan period; and

(d) whether the entire country is likely to be covered by the TV transmitters?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) A number of TV transmitters and Frequency Modulation (FM) transmitters at 100 centres of All India Radio are proposed to be set up in the next two years.

(b) and (c) Fourteen high power TV transmitters have already been set up during the Seventh Plan period so far (including 10 set up in replacement of the existing low power transmitters). Besides, thirty-two more high power TV transmitters are to be established as part of the Seventh Plan of Doordarshan, including twenty-two to be set up in replacement of the existing low power transmitters, at the following places:

1. Aizawl
2. Ambajogai
3. Anantapur
4. Anupgarh
5. Aurangabad
6. Bareilly
7. Barmer
8. Bhawanipatna

9. Bhuj
10. Calicut
11. Churachandpur
12. Daltonganj
13. Dharwar
14. Fazilka
15. Gangtok
16. Gwalior
17. Capital of Haryana
18. Itanagar
19. Jabalpur
20. Jagdalpur
21. Jaisalmer
22. Katihar
23. Kota
24. Leh
25. Lunglei
26. Mokokchung
27. Rameshwaram
28. Shillong
29. Shimla
30. Shimoga
31. Tirupati
32. Tura

(d) No, Sir. On completion of the various Seventh Plan schemes, TV service is expected to be available to about 83 per cent population of the country.

Housing shortage in the country due to slums

462. SHRI D. B. CHANDRE GOWDA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether attention of Government has been drawn to a news item captioned "Slums a pointer to housing shortage" as reported in the Indian Express dated 9th May, 1988;

(b) whether it is a fact that the growing problems of housing shortage is only due to slums in the country;

(c) whether it is also a fact that Central Government have so far not taken any steps to upgrade the slums in the country; and

(d) if so, details of the guidelines issued in this regard to State Governments and their reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) Yes, sir.

(b) No, sir.

(c) and (d) The present policy of the Government emphasises on environmental improvement of urban slums rather than their massive clearance and relocation. Under the State sector scheme of Environmental Improvement of Urban Slums, Basic amenities like drinking water supply, storm water drains, paving of existing lanes and pathways, provision of community baths and latrines, street lighting etc. are provided in urban slums. The State Govt. formulate and implement projects under the scheme out of their Annual Plan provisions in accordance with their needs and priorities.

Steps to strengthen cooperative movement

463. SHRI D. B. CHANDRE GOWDA: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have stressed the need for further strengthening of the cooperative movement for improving condition of agriculturists in the country;

(b) whether Government have issued any directions to the State Government to encourage the cooperative movements; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and further steps taken by Government to improve the conditions of agriculturists in the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI SHYAM LAL YADAV): (a) Yes, Sir.